

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA**

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Locomotive Manufacturing Factories
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Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Railways has entered into an agreement with Alstom and GE Transport for locomotive manufacturing factories in the country; and
- (b) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS

(SHRI RAJEN GOHAIN)

(a) Yes, Madam.

(b) (i) Setting up of Diesel Locomotive Factory at Marhowra: A Contract Agreement has been signed on November 30, 2015, between Ministry of Railways and GE Diesel Locomotive Private Limited (a Joint Venture company of Ministry of Railways and GE Global Sourcing India Limited) for manufacture and supply of 1000 diesel locomotives of 4500/6000 hp capacity by setting up Diesel Locomotive Factory at Marhowra/ Bihar. The Joint Venture Company has already started construction activities for the factory at site.

(ii) Setting up of Electric Locomotive Factory at Madhepura: A Contract Agreement has been signed on November 30, 2015, between Ministry of Railways and Madhepura Electric Locomotive Private Limited (a Joint Venture company of Ministry of Railways and Alstom Manufacturing India Limited), for manufacture and supply of 800 electric locomotives of 12000 hp capacity by setting up Electric Locomotive Factory at Madhepura/ Bihar. The Joint Venture Company has already started construction activities for the factory at site.
